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LATIN AMERICA BRIEF [REDACTED] FOR 30 AUGUST 1983.

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THE ATMOSPHERE FOR NEGOTIATIONS, BUT THEY COULD BE UNDERCUT BY  
RADICAL LEFTISTS' PLANS TO STAGE VIOLENT ACTIONS THIS WEEK.// [REDACTED]

INTERIOR MINISTER JARPA, FOLLOWING DISCUSSIONS WITH MODERATE  
OPPOSITION LEADERS, HAS AUTHORIZED THE RETURN OF MORE EXILES, ENDED  
A FIVE-YEAR-OLD STATE OF EMERGENCY, AND ANNOUNCED THAT THE  
GOVERNMENT WILL SOON OFFER A PLAN FOR LEGALIZING POLITICAL PARTIES.  
OPPOSITION LEADERS HAVE ACKNOWLEDGED THAT THESE MOVES REPRESENT SOME  
PROGRESS, BUT THEY ARE MAKING ADDITIONAL DEMANDS AND STILL PLAN A  
FIFTH DAY OF NATIONAL PROTEST ON 8 SEPTEMBER. [REDACTED]

COMMENT: PRESIDENT PINOCHET MAY HAVE STRENGTHENED HIS MILITARY  
BACKING BY AUTHORIZING THE CONCESSIONS. HE ALSO HAS CREATED A MORE  
POSITIVE ATMOSPHERE BECAUSE THE CONCESSIONS, ALTHOUGH LIMITED IN  
PRACTICAL EFFECT, ARE PSYCHOLOGICALLY SIGNIFICANT. NONETHELESS,  
JARPA HAS ALREADY INDICATED THAT THE OPPOSITION'S DEMAND THAT  
PINOCHET RESIGN WAS UNACCEPTABLE AND THAT THE GOVERNMENT WILL NOT  
SURRENDER ITS POWERS TO LIMIT CIVIL LIBERTIES. [REDACTED]

//LEFTIST-INSTIGATED VIOLENCE PROBABLY IS INTENDED TO CAUSE THE  
GOVERNMENT TO ADOPT A HARDER LINE. IF THE VIOLENCE PERSISTS OR  
INCREASES, PINOCHET AND DEMOCRATIC LEADERS WOULD FIND IT MORE  
DIFFICULT TO AGREE ON COMPROMISES.// [REDACTED]

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